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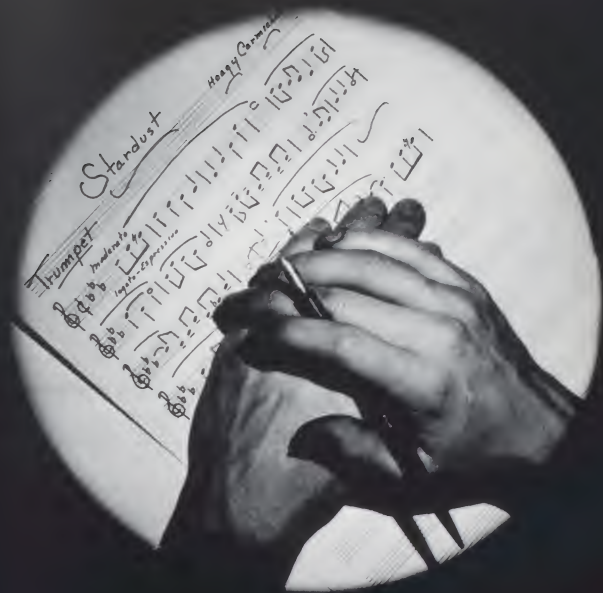




WE DEDICATE THIS ANNUAL TO MR. PAUL STANGLE, WHO
SERVED OUR CLASS AND MANY OTHERS AS A FINE PRINCIPAL FOR
MANY YEARS.







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THE PEP

Who has so loyally backed our
time and energy to the preserving
spectator sports.

We wish to salute the member-

Jim Oezer
Michael Shelhart
Bill Kaper
Jerry Heimlich
Herb De Fries
Dick Kiersma
Sandra Bennema
Judi Berghorst
Judy Griwac
Diane Strankosky
Rita Hoffman
Carolyn Jackson
Judy Dyke
Jim Edwards
Jane Hoffman
Karen Peterson
Judy De Young
Linda Nannenga
Sandra Vander Molen
Angeline Walstra
Marian Groet
Janice Klemp
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Eleanor Hamstra

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Silvia Best
Sharon Nannenga
Anna Mae Hamstra
Joyce Kooy
Jim Bunning
Judy Gardner
Donna De Vries
Margie Kiersma
Marilyn Wiers
Mary Starkey
Lornell Hamstra
Mary Lou Boer
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Howard Holmes
Leonard Peters
Catherine Swart
Alice De Hahn
Sharyl Sipkema
Donna Borman
David Turner

Mrs. Mann (Sponsor)

Melodie Grevenstulpe
Becky Hart
Jane Zylstra

in Honor of

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athletic teams, and devoted its
of our school's high standards in

ship of this organization:

Mr. Bottorff (Coach)

Betty Kaper
Marilyn Gwin
Ben Morales

Pat Hielema
Barbara Root
Donna Marsh
Sandra Baxter
Irene Swetz
Norma Kaluf
Gayle Recker
Betty Boer
Judy Zwart
Sharlei Konovsky
Diana Grevenstuk
Wilma Hittle
Ruth Ewart
Larry Hoffman
Bob Hoffman
John Heerema
Harold Evers
Peggy Groet
Judy Nuss
Connie Koster
Betsy Bol
Ruth Kaper
Delores Myers

Dennis Eenhuistra
Henry Starkey
Kay Durlinger
Jackie Baxter
Beverly Hamstra
Teresa Groet
Joe Oezer
Larry Selby
Pamela Tysen
Karen McDonald
Lorna Odle
Linda Osborn
Margie Kaluf
Linda Moolenaar
Sheila St. John
Joan Sekema
Muriel Tomszak
Jean Van Meerten
Jim Sampson
Bill Van Soest
Mary Eide
Sandra Shelhart
Joyce Zylstra

BA



SEATED, FIRST ROW: Elanor Hamstra, Donna Marsh, John Heerema, Judy Zwart, Betty Boer, Ruth Ewart, Dyke, Calvin Walstra, Alvin De Vries, Beverly Ham-garet Toppen, Delores Myers, Betsy Bol, Gayle Recker, ela Tysen, Jackie Van Weinan, Joyce Terborg, Lornell enaar, Tom Schoonveld, Peter Boer, Lynn Kessinger, Wendel Mann (Band Master), Marion Groet, Jim Bun-Glen Kooy, Anna Mae Hanstra, Mary Lou Boer, David De Vries, Lowis Mann, Lyle Kessinger.

MR. WENDELL MANN (Band Master)



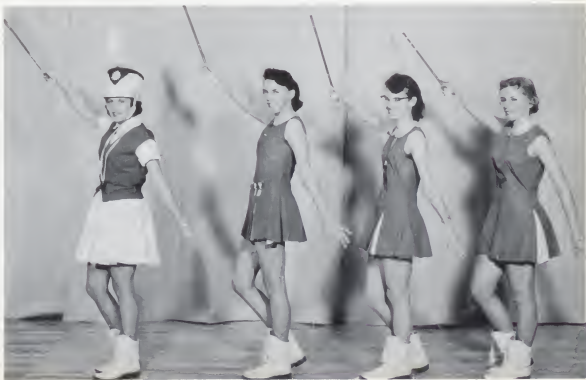
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Karen Vander Molen, Connie Koster, Norma Kaluf,
SECOND ROW: Mary Starkey, Jayne Kooy, Billie
stra, Betty Kaper, Ellen Musch, Teresa Groet, Mar-
Don Moolenaar. STANDING: Marilyn Gwin, Pam-
Hamstra, Margie Kiersma, Lorna Odle, Linda Mool-
Michael Shelhart, Peggy Groet, Ruth Kaper, Mr.
ning, Judi Nuss, Ronnie Gross, Sharlie Konovsky,
Peterson, Alvin Kamminga, Sharon Nannenga, Donna

MAJORETTES AND DRUM MAJOR

Delores Myers, Drum Major, Betsy Bol, Margaret
Toppen, Connie Koster.





MARCHING BAND

Columns from front to back beginning with left row:

Betsy Bol, Lyle Kessinger, Sharon Nannenga, Betty Boer, Judi Nuss, Eleanor Hanstra, Marion Groet, Margie Keirsma, Glen Kooy. SECOND ROW: Alvin Kamminga, Gayle Recker, Judy Zwart, Ronnie Gross, Donna Marsh, Lorna Odle, Lornell Hanstra, Petty Groet. THIRD ROW: Margaret Toppen, Anna Mae Hamstra, Norma Kaluf, Sharlie Konovsky, Mary Starkey, Alvin De Vries, Linda Moolenaar, Ruth Kaper, Peter Boer. FOURTH ROW: Mary Lou Boer, John Heerema, Jim Bunning, Billie Dyke, Calvin Walstra, Jackie Van Weinan, Lynn Kessinger, Michael Shelhart. FIFTH ROW: David Peterson, Don Moolenaar, Karen Vander Molen, Jackie Van Weinan, Joyce Kooy, Pamela Tysen, Beverly Hamstra. SIXTH ROW: Connie Koster, Lewis Mann, Donna De Vries, Ruth Ewart, Joyce Terborg, Marilyn Gwin, Marion Groet, Tom Schoonveld, Delores Myers, Drum Major; Mr. Wendel Mann, Band Master.



JUNIOR BAND

FIRST ROW: Barbara Konovsky, Kathy Misch, Stanley Zeck, Frances Samuels, Philip Moolenaar, Priscilla Marsh, Karen De Vries, Ellen Belstra. SECOND ROW: Elaine Grevenstuk, Luella Anderson, Nancy Bunning, Dorothy Sterk, Beverly Myers, Audrey Evers, Rosemary Sekema, Cheryll Zeck, Steven Holmhanson. THIRD ROW: Stephen Mann, Joe DeKock, Marrien Boezeman, Annette Bosma, Robert Punter, Craig Zeck, Lois Bosma, Gail Raguse, Larry Bol, Mr. Mann, Band Master.

SEXTET



Pauline Westerhoff, Karen Peterson, Marion Groet, Arlene Kingma, Ruth Kaper, Gail Recker



GIRLS' CHORUS

FIRST ROW: Judy Gardner, Eleanor Hamstra, Donna Marsh, Joan Sekema, Muriel Tomczak, Melodie Grevenstuk, Shelia St. John, Connie Koster, Delores Myers, Barbara Root, Joan Takacs, Ellen Musch.
 SECOND ROW: Janice Klemp, Jane Williams, Silvia Best, Betty Boer, Sharlie Konovsky, Judy Post, Connie Knapp, Mary Ede, Wilma Hittle, Norma Kaluf, Irene Swetz, Joyce Terborg, Judy Zwart.
 THIRD ROW: Lorna Odle, Sandra Shelhart, Mary Misch, Arlene Kampenga, Judy De Young, Jean Van Meerten, Margie Kaluf, Joyce Zylstra, Margaret Toppen, Sandra Vander Molen, Jackie Van Weinan, Patsy Eeningeberg, Mary Vander Molen. FOURTH ROW: Judy Nuss, Diana Grevenstuk, Sandra Van Meerten, Karen Vander Molen, Ruth Ewart, Ruth Kaper, Linda Nannenga, Marian Groet, Lynda Walstra, Betsy Bol, Peggy Groet, Angeline Walstra, Gayle Recker, Sandra Baxter.



Athletics

Autographs



TRACK

FIRST ROW: Gene Bottorff, Coach, Mike Shelhart, Robert Sipkema, Wayne Nuss, Jerry Heimlich, Dan Leslie, Assistant Coach. SECOND ROW: Bill Van Soest, Jim Sampson, Ed De Fries, Herb De Fries, John Feildhouse.

FOOTBALL



FIRST ROW: Alvin Kamminga, Manager, Jim Toppen, Dave Bauman, Rudy Zylstra, Dave Hart, Pete Boer, Jim Bunning, Lynn Kessinger, Manager. SECOND ROW: Ronnie Lonsberry, Charlie Edwards, Jim Edwards, Bob Drudge, Pete Helmlick, Tom Fritts, Richard Peters, Jerry Drudge, Bob Westerhoff. THIRD ROW: Gene Bottorff, Coach, Alvin Fase, Herb De Fries, Bill Kaper, Carroll De Fries, Larry Hunter, Bob Sipkema, Norman Groet, Dan Leslie, Assistant Coach.



Pete Heimlich



Jim Edwards



Herb De Fries

Pictures not shown

Norman Groet

Bill Kaper

Tom Fritts

FOOTBALL 1957

Jamboree	De Motte	0	Fair Oaks	12
		6	Mt. Ayr	6
Wheatfield	De Motte	13	Wheatfield	32
Fair Oaks	De Motte	0	Fair Oaks	52
Kentland	De Motte	13	Kentland	53
Kentland-Frosh & Soph.	De Motte	20	Kentland	60
Wheatfield	De Motte	13	Wheatfield	45
Wheatfield-Frosh & Soph.	De Motte	7	Wheatfield	33
Klondike	De Motte	7	Klondike	44
Mt. Ayr	De Motte	25	Mt. Ayr	6

TOUCHDOWNS-DE MOTTE VARSITY

W. Kaper	6
R. Peters	2
J. Edwards	1
A. Fase	1
C. De Fries	1
L. Hunter	1



1957 AND '58 BASKETBALL

DEMOTTE	52	Remington	84
DEMOTTE	60	Kouts	51
DEMOTTE	60	Goodland	71
DEMOTTE	57	Dyer	45
DEMOTTE	50	San Pierre	56
DEMOTTE	76	Lowell	72
DEMOTTE	57	Fair Oaks	46
DEMOTTE	65	Goodland	49
DEMOTTE	65	Wheatfield	56
DEMOTTE	51 KVT	Wheatfield	61
DEMOTTE	51 KVT	San Pierre	43
DEMOTTE	54	Morocco	43
DEMOTTE	49	Medaryville	57
DEMOTTE	98	Tefft	31
DEMOTTE	54	Hebron	57
DEMOTTE	50	Morgan Twp.	39
DEMOTTE	64	Fair Oaks	52
DEMOTTE	57	Boone Grove	49
DEMOTTE	67	Mt. Ayr	40
DEMOTTE	57 Sect.	Wheatfield	53
DEMOTTE	56 Sect.	Rensselaer	60

The De Motte Indian's 1957 & 58 basketball season was a very good one for the boys. They won fourteen games and lost only seven throughout the season. The entire student body wishes to convey their heartiest congratulations to our team.

TOTAL POINTS SCORED BY DE MOTTE

1250

TOTAL POINTS SCORED BY OPPONENTS

1115

INDIVIDUAL SCORING RECORD

Name	Total Points
Jerry Heimlich	264
Dick Keirsma	231
Herb De Fries	187
Alvin Fase	185
Bill Kaper	173
Ed De Vries	118
Wayne Nuss	63
John Fieldhouse	12
Jim Sampson	3



“A” TEAM

Holding ball: Alvin Kamminga, Lynn Kessinger. SEATED: Bill Van Soest, Jerry Heimlich, Alvin Fase, Jim Sampson, Wayne Nuss, Ronnie Sipkema, Mike Shelhart. STANDING: Gene Bottorff, Coach, Dick Kiersma, Bill Kaper, Ed De Fries, Herb De Fries, John Fieldhouse, Dan Leslie, Assistant Coach.



Wayne Nuss



Dick Keirsma



Bill Kaper

Herb De Fries



Mr. Gene Bottorff, Coach



Pete Heimlich









Betsy Bol



Marian Groet



"A" TEAM CHEERLEADERS

SEATED: Delores Myers, Janice Koster, Connie Koster. STANDING: Betsy Bol, Marian Groet.



Delores Myers



Connie Koster

"B" TEAM CHEERLEADERS



Peggy Groet, Judy Nuss, Ruth Kaper

JR. HIGH CHEERLEADERS



Beverly Hamstra, Alice DeHaan, Sharyl Siphema, Donna Boerman



FIRST ROW: Bob Westerhoff, Dean Musch, Bill Eenshuistra, Bob Siphema, Mike Shelhart, Jim Bunning. SECOND ROW: Alvin Kamminga, Manager; Gene Bottorff, Coach; Rudy Zylstra, Jim Sampson, Bill Van Soest, Ronnie Walstra, Dan Leslie, Assistant Coach; Lynn Kessinger, Manager.



“B” TEAM

Dan Leslie, Assistant Coach



JR. HIGH BASKETBALL

Holding Ball, Dave Watson. FIRST ROW: Henry Starkey, Andy Nannenga, Howard Bockman, Charles Abbring, David Turner, David Peterson, Don Bunning. SECOND ROW: Gene Bottorff, Coach; John De Young, Robert Hanaway, Dave Grevenstuk, Bob Herring, Lewis Mann, Tom Schaefer, Jim Coberly, Bill Dyke, Dan Leslie, Assistant Coach.









Administration

Autographs

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OLIVER GWIN, Principal



FRANCES VANDER MOLEN, Secretary



BEN DYKE, Custodian



MR. FLORIN C. WILLIAMS
Sponsor

The Senior Class of 1958 wishes to express its
gratitude for his fine leadership and guidance as
our sponsor to Mr. Williams.



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DONNA MANN



WENDELL MANN



GENE BOTTORFF



EVELYN HOEPNER



DAN LESLIE



RUTH JACKSON



J. STANLEY TRAINA

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PAUL HOFFMAN



BEULAH HISSON



MARTHA MOSIER



GLADYS EWART



FRANCES FRY



TRESA BOZEMAN



JANE HANLEY

MARY KESSINGER



PAULINE BOL





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Autographs



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FIRST ROW: B. McKim, J. Koster, E. Justice, R. Kooy, D. Herring, D. Wood, G. Erwin, D. Gwin, D. Meeks, SECOND ROW: A. Konovsky, E. Rose, C. Sterk, S. Musch, R. Sullivan, N. Misch, J. Takacs, J. Marconnet, Judy Marconnet. THIRD ROW: R. Thornton, B. Wilkerson, J. Wittwer, C. Fritts, M. Van Dam, J. Grevenstuck, L. Smith, P. Zeck. FOURTH ROW: S. Peterson, J. Tysen, C. Terpstra, J. Stockman, T. K. Todd, H. Wicker, R. Ruissard, J. Woudema, J. Oezer, T. Hittle, Mrs. Hission, Teacher.

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THIRD GRADE

FIRST ROW: S. Stevenson, C. Prater, B. Ruble, C. Mosier, T. Marten, C. Mason, C. Meeks. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Boezman, H. Wicker, B. Schlarp, E. Williams, C. Walford, J. Lacy, S. Rose, C. Nagel, R. Prater. THIRD ROW: T. McKim, R. Marshall, C. Whitmore, D. Zandstra, B. Walstra, S. Zeck, K. Sipkema, R. Myers. FOURTH ROW: E. Zylstra, R. Stevenson, S. Zeck, R. Wilkerson, E. Walford, H. Woudema, M. A. Ramsey, P. Punter, G. Woudema.

THIRD AND FOURTH GRADES

FIRST ROW: M. Curry, L. Henrichs, V. Barker, R. Bunning, L. Blankenbaker, R. Anderson, B. Baxter, J. De Fries, P. Klemp. SECOND ROW: T. Hazlett, A. Kampenga, R. Hoover, J. Eakin, J. Holmes, P. De Young, S. Barker, L. Cummins, Mrs. Hanley. THIRD ROW: L. Boezman, T. Belstra, Dave Abbring, J. Compton, J. Duncan, L. Boezman, D. Abbring, E. Anderson, Edwin Anderson.





FOURTH GRADE

FIRST ROW: G. Mosher, E. Sterk, W. Hittle, M. Dalman, S. Watson, M. Peterson, C. Nagel.
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FIRST ROW: R. Wood, R. Shwetz, F. Willen, L. Lloyd, M. Moolenaar, K. Schlarp, S. Stellingwerf, M. Salomey, B. Konovsky. SECOND ROW: L. Marconett, E. Shwetz, N. Kooy, C. Meeks, K. Morris, J. A. Wittwer, P. Marsh, D. K. Lonsberry, Mrs. Kessinger. THIRD ROW: R. Wicker, P. Moolenaar, C. Zeck, B. Swart, K. Postma, G. Raguse, C. Zeck, R. Sekema, D. Nannenga. FOURTH ROW: C. Walstra, D. Peterson, R. Marotta, H. Swart, A. Knip, E. Woudema, R. Punter, L. Musch.





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FIRST ROW: L. Anderson, S. Bauman, L. Bockman, D. Dalman, R. Bozell, N. Bunning, C. Bovenkirk, L. Evers, L. Bol, Gary De Fries. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Stangle, M. Boezman, C. De Young, G. Barkey, J. De Kock, S. Holm-Hansen, C. Bunning, C. Groet, L. Bosma, A. Evers. THIRD ROW: S. Hunter, G. Johnson, K. Boezeman, M. Hart, A. Bosma, K. De Vries, D. Hass, E. Grevenstuck, E. Belstra, B. De Young.

SIXTH GRADE

FIRST ROW: C. Hoover, K. Misch, D. Sterk, C. Nannenga, F. Samuels, V. Prater, D. Mason, M. Takacs. SECOND ROW: M. Justice, B. Orsbum, B. Hittle, W. Morrise, B. Stevenson, R. Mason, N. Tellger. THIRD ROW: E. Nannenga, C. Sampson, N. Ruble, M. L. Sipkema, V. Lloyd, R. Schlarp, B. Myers, T. Whitmore. FOURTH ROW: S. Sipkema, R. Meeks, B. Hoffman, R. Toppen, E. Terpstra, D. Kachlic, S. Mann, D. Schoonveld, J. Mucha, Mrs. Bol.





Underclassmen

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FIRST ROW: Billy Prater, Betty Bovenkirk, Vicki Willin, Marilyn Gwin, Kay Durlinger, Evelyn Wolford, Donald Bunning, Patsy Griwac. SECOND ROW: Jackie Baxter, David Fagenbaum, Karen McDaniels, Tresa Groet, David Odle, Harold Knynsberg, Henry Stark-ey, Edna Dunhan, Paul Hoffman, Sponsor. THIRD ROW: Sharon Peters, Beverly Evers, Billy Edwards, Jane Zylstra, Jerry Williams, Becky Hart, James Holmes, David Turner. FOURTH ROW: Henry Bosma, Dennis Eenhuistra, Betty Kaper, Ben Morales, Beverly Hamstra, Jim Coberly, Pamela Tysen, Joel Oezer, Ronald Novak.



EIGHTH GRADE

FIRST ROW: Lewis Holwin, David Peterson, Andy Nannenga, Mona Hunter, Donna Borman, Alice DeHaan, David Watson, Dale Bovenkerk, Lee Edwards. SECOND ROW: James Klemp, Gene De Young, Charles Raguse, Audrey Hoepfner, Lenard Peters, Catherine Swart, Charles Abbring, Tom Marotta, Jerry De Young. THIRD ROW: Miriam Hittle, Vernon Hoover, Ben Mason, Bill Dyke, Sharyl Sipkema, Jerry Koster, Margaret Klemp, Howard Bockman, Sally van Meerten. FOURTH ROW: Larry Selby, Albert Klemp, Tom Schaefer, Raymond Patrick, Lewis Mann, Bob Herring, David Grevenstuk, Bob Hanaway, John De Young, Howard Holmes.



Freshmen

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FRESHMEN

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 SECOND ROW: Judy Post, Linda Osburn, Carol Smith, Connie Knapp, Linda Moolenaar, Bill Postma, Anna Mae Hamstra, Carol Mason, Ruthann Lloyd, Mary Boer, Joan Takacs. THIRD ROW: Mary Vander Molen, Sharon Nannenga, Margie Kiersma, Jack Marotta, Chuck Edwards, Marilyn Wiers, Richard Eenigenburg, Paul Bovenkirk, Linda Walstra, Karen Vander Molen, Margie Kaluf, Mary Starley. FOURTH ROW: David Hart, Richard Peters, Herbert Hoover, Roger Recker, Ralph Kenning, Rudy Zylstra, Ronnie Walstra, Donna De Vries, Lornell Hamstra, Dean Musch.





Sophomores

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SOPHOMORES

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JUNIOR CLASS

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Seniors

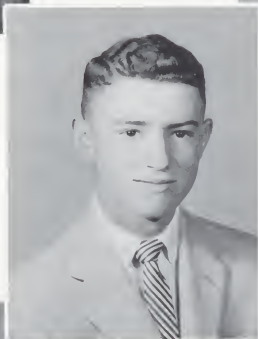
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NORMAN GROET
"Snaz"



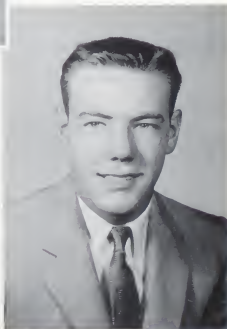
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"Judi"



JERRY HEIMLICH
"Pete"



SANDRA BENNEMA
"Benny"



HERBERT DE FRIES
"Herb"



BILL KAPER
"Willy"



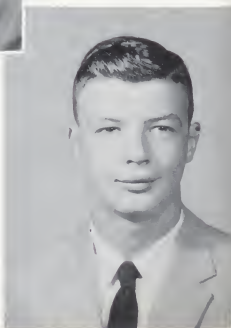
DIANE STRANKOSKY
"Stiskoski"



MICHAEL SHELHART
"Mike"



KAREN PETERSON
"Karen"



ELMER VANDER MOLEN
"Emo"



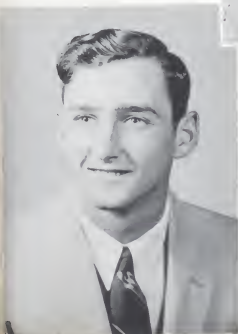
CAROLYN JACKSON
"Carolyn"



RICHARD KIERSMA
"Dick"



DONALD MOOLENAAR
"Don"



WAYNE NUSS
"Nuss"



RITA HOFFMAN
"Rita"



ARLENE HOFFMAN
"Jane"



JAMES OEZER
"Jim"



JUDITH DYKE
"Judie"



LARRY HUNTER
"Sod"



PAULINE WESTERHOFF
"Westy"



JERRY COBERLY
"Cobb"



ARLENE KINGMA
"Arlene"



JAMES EDWARDS
"Jim"



JUDITH GRIWAC
"Judy"



THOMAS FRITTS
"Fritts"

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF SENIOR CLASS OF 1958

We, the graduating class of 1958 of De Motte High School, being all of sound mind (we think!), do hereby will and bequeath the following treasures to the faculty and underclassmen of our school.

To the underclassmen... we leave

To Mr. Abbring ... an English class that will talk about English.

To Mr. Mann ... a band that appreciates music.

To Mrs. Mann ... a pep club that doesn't go yo-ho.

To Mrs. Jackson ... a Senior Home Ec. class that's there when you want them.

To Mr. Bottorff ... a canned laughter machine to appreciate his jokes.

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To Mr. Hoffman ... a physics class that doesn't argue among themselves. We hope he gets one that lets him talk once in awhile.

To Frances Vander Molen ... a record that says "Frances, Frances, Frances, Frances" so she'll always remember the class of '58.

To Mr. Gwin ... elevated shoes so he can see eye to eye with the students.

To Mr. Williams ... a large room with lots of blackboards and chalk to take care of all the important business; also a class that gets seated when he goes psh-wish.

SANDRA BENNEMA wills her nickname of "Moose" to Ronnie Sipkema.

JUDI BERGHORST wills her hotrodding to Glen Kooy.

JERRY COBERLY wills his ambition to Sandra Vander Molen. We hope you don't run over anyone getting to school in the morning. Cobb didn't.

HERB De FRIES wills his ability to imitate teachers to Donna Marsh. Not when they're watching you though, Donna.

JUDIE DYKE wills her sense of humor to Judy De Young.

JIM EDWARDS wills all his old cigarette butts to Angeline Walstra.

TOM FRITTS wills his ability to stay out of trouble to Ed De Vries.

JUDY GRIWAC wills her height to Linda Nannenga. Don't bump your head.

NORMAN GROET wills his parking spot on Swart's Corner to Howard Crawford. Use it to good advantage.

PETE HIEMLICH wills his speed to Mary Misch and Pat Hielema.

RITA HOFFMAN wills her ability to hold her temper to John Fieldhouse. Now stay out of trouble John.

JANE HOFFMAN wills her gift of gab to Janice Klemp.

LARRY HUNTER wills his ability to not get caught (very often) to Jaquelin Van Wienen. Happy Motoring
acki.

CAROLYN JACKSON wills her long, sharp fingernails to Marian Groet.

BILL KAPER wills his co-ordination to Jerry Drudge. Maybe now you can hit the teachers, Woods.

DICK KIERSMA wills his changing hair style to Barbara Root.

ARLENE KINGMA wills her ability to keep the same man to Eleanor Hamstra.

DON MOLENAAR wills his deep voice to Margaret Toppen.

WAYNE NUSS wills his cool walk and cowboy boots to Sylvia Heerema. You'd better get a motorcycle too.

JIM OEZER wills his broad smile to Arlene Kampenga.

KAREN PETERSON wills her old Ford to Alvin Fase.

MIKE SHELHART wills his curly, black hair to Sandra Van Meerten.

DIANE STRANKOSKY wills her quiet ways to Ellen Musch. Now you can stay out of trouble, Ellen.

ELMER VANDER MOLEN wills his height to Pat Eenigenburg.

PAULINE WESTERHOFF wills her small feet to Jerry Oezer. We hope you can fill her shoes.

We know that these treasures will be used to good advantage and that you will get as much pleasure out of them

THE PROPHECY OF CLASS OF 1958

Time: June 7, 1978

Place: Dimple Platz, on the face side of the moon.

Event: Reunion of the Class of '58, of De Motte High School.

By: Pauline Westerhoff, Jane Hoffman, and Karen Peterson.

The three of us were in charge of planning the reunion of the class of '58. We felt the most appropriate place for the meeting was the moon since Michael Shelhart, ace space explorer, made the first successful trip to and from the moon. Since that time James Edwards, chairman of the World Space Appointment Committee, has given to the United States the side of the moon with the face on it. Richard Kiersma, President of the United States, has appointed Wayne Nuss, the big ranch owner from Indiana, the man in charge of the development of the United State's Moonland. Through our contacting Mr. Nuss's secretary, Sandra Bennema, arrangements were made for the reunion.

As we went to the famous C. & V. M. Department Store in Gary, Indiana to buy supplies for the meeting, we were surprised to find the owners none other than Jerry Coberly and Elmer Vander Molen of the class of '58. Also we learned that Judy Dyke is head of the Personnel Department in their store.

Just as we were finished decorating, four guests climbed out of the spaceship that had landed on the moon. We noticed that they had the same pilot we did when we came with the supplies, Jerry Heimlich.

The first two people to step off the ship were the famous Paris fashion designers, Carolyn Jackson and her close associate, Judi Berghorst. As we were greeting them, Donald Moolenaar and James Oezer, head photographers for "Life" Magazine stepped off the ship carrying cameras and supplies.

As the party progressed we met Herbert De Fries and Judy Griwac, the famous television comedy team known on the screen as Mr. and Mrs. South.

Then we saw William Kaper, head coach of De Motte University's NCAA championship basketball team talking to Miss Arlene Kingma, founder and head of the A K Studio of Modeling. While we were discussing their accomplishments with Bill and Arlene, Diane Strankosky came and joined our group. She is probably best known for her discovery through research of a cure for cancer. She told us she had done her research in the famous New World Laboratories, established by Dr. Larry Hunter.

As we walked on to continue our visiting we met Norman Groet and Thomas Fritts, well-known space detectives. They told us of some of their thrilling experiences.

Finally we met Rita Hoffman. She told us that she is happy the whole class could be here. She complimented us on the fine party. We felt honored about this compliment since she is the most famous authority on etiquette. As we talked with Sandra Bennema concerning her secretarial job she asked us what we have been doing. We told her we were still dreaming.

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First is Sandy Bennema, a girl who is known
For her friendly smile that is usually shown.
She'll say hello whenever you meet
With a girl like her, it's hard to compete.

Judi Berghorst is a very fine lass
She's the Student Council member of our class
She's really nice, she treats no one mean
I'm sure you'll agree that she's really keen.

Jerry Coberly makes us wonder.
The boy's all call him "Flash"
With his big hi-top boots
He's really quite a crash.

Next we come to Herb De Fries
He always is quite hip
When he is on the basketball floor
The girls all seem to flip.

They tell me that I am next
About me there's nothing to write
But as for the rest of the class
I'll try to write something you'll like.

Jim Edwards is our other
Student Council represent'
On his studies, like Solid G.
All of his time is spent.

Griwac is the next of course
Her first name I know is Judy
She's sorta short with pretty brown hair
She really is a cutie.

We have a space here for Tom,
Fritts is attached on the back.
At football he played his best
Nothing did he lack.

Then of course we come to Norman Groet
He has a dark blue Ford
No matter how far from him you are
That Ford can still be heard.

Then comes Pete Heimlich our class Pres.
In sports he's the best, so every one says,
He gets along fine with everyone around,
He and his Chevy are all over town.

Ah! Here we have a girl again
Her tab says "Jane Hoffman"
I know that she can ride a horse
I hear she does it often.

by
Judy Dyke

Rita Hoffman is the next in line
A girl who is neat, pretty, and fine.
But one of her locks always tumbles down
About her face it will topple around.

Larry Hunter will fit in here
They always call him "Sod"
To find a guy as friendly as he
I think would be quite hard.

Here we are up to a girl again
Her name is Carolyn Jackson
When ever you are around her
She's keen right down to the fraction.

Bill Kaper is the next, Oh! Boy!
Wild, Wooly, and full of joy.
His heart is always full of fun
He'll always speak to every one.

Dick Kiersma, now let me see
This guy is a tough one
He may be quiet part of the time
But is always full of fun.

Arlene Kingma is an Honor Student
A member of the D. A. R.
We know that if she tries a bit
She'll really travel far.

Next we have a boy named Don,
His last name is Moolenaar
He works really hard to continue on
I think that he too will go far.

Wayne Nuss, who is better known as "Elvis"
Is hard to write about, but I can say this
His cowboy boots make him look real keen,
And without them he'll probably never be seen.

Elmer Vander Molen
Is down here towards the last
He has a Ford, a green one
It really is a blast.

Last but not least, is Pauline
Westerhoff is her last name.
In everything that she does
She plays a pretty fair game.

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Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4
Track 2, 3, 4
Band 1, 3
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Pep Club 3, 4
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Track 2, 3
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Mama's Baby Boy 3
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Basketball 1
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